

STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

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DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Leo M. Drozdoff, P.E., Administrator

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

PUBLIC NOTICE
Web Posting Date: 10/17/08

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following notice of proposed action under the authority of the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Safe Drinking Water Act.

The Administrator has received an application for renewal of an Underground Injection Control (UIC) permit, which has been drafted for public comment. Renewal of Permit #UNEV97200 has been applied for by the following applicant:

The Boeing Company Santa Susana Field Laboratory 5800 Woolsey Canyon Road, MS T487 Canoga Park, California 91304-1148

The applicant has submitted a renewal application for a UIC permit associated with the Former Nevada Field Laboratory, Area C, 2700 Right Hand Canyon Road, Reno, Nevada 89510. The application is in response to past releases of volatile organic compounds from the abovementioned facility into groundwater. The applicant proposes to continue remediation efforts utilizing extraction and treatment of contaminated groundwater, and reinjection of treated groundwater into onsite infiltration trenches. Monitoring at the facility will continue to be required to ensure that groundwater is not degraded.

On the basis of preliminary review of the requirements of the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Safe Drinking Water Act, and implementing regulations, the Administrator proposes to renew permit #UNEV97200 as stated above.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding permit issuance or to request a hearing pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request in writing by November 20, 2008 either in person or by mail to:

Attn: Russ Land Division of Environmental Protection Bureau of Water Pollution Control 901 S. Stewart Street, Ste. 4001 Carson City, NV 89701 (rland@ndep.nv.gov) All comments or objections received within thirty days of newspaper publication will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty days prior to the hearing date.

The application, draft permit, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied at the office of the Division of Environmental Protection, or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by calling Russ Land of the Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9428.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know would be interested in this matter.